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25X1 18. (Unclassified - PLC) LEGISLATION Naomi Sweeney, OMB, called [redacted] and asked that we provide a copy of our proposed report on the bill for their review. She indicated that the request was informal and principally for information at this time since they understand that the matter is being handled by Ken Lazarus, White House staff.

25X1 19. (Unclassified - PLC) LEGISLATION Called John Martiny, Chief Counsel, House Post Office and Civil Service Committee, and arranged for [redacted] and I to meet with him tomorrow afternoon to discuss the Agency's problems with H. R. 12080 which grants the Civil Service Commission broad statutory authority to oversee personnel management programs in all of Government.

20. (Unclassified - PLC) LIAISON Received a call from John Brotan, in the Lakewood, Colorado office of Representative Timothy Wirth (D., Colo.), requesting any material we could provide which explains the organization of the Agency. I told him that we had pamphlets that were 25X1 available to him. A package of material was prepared and sent to Mr. Brotan.

25X1 22. (Unclassified - RC) HEARINGS/HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON MIA'S Staff Director, Angus MacDonald, on the House Select Committee for Persons Missing in Action in Southeast Asia, spent most of the day at Headquarters reviewing and discussing our proposed oral and written submissions to his Committee. He had some good suggestions to make to improve the oral presentation from the Committee's point of view. He will 25X1 provide written suggestions plus a series of questions for the closed session by 12 March 1976. [redacted]

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17. (Unclassified - GLC) LIAISON Representative Samuel Devine (R., Ohio) called and said that a constituent of his from Columbus, Ohio, [redacted] had attended a Symposium on Crimes Against Women in Brussels and a number of radical international groups had attended and she was upset by their activities. Mr. Devine said [redacted] felt that the CIA should know about this and wanted to meet with someone tomorrow afternoon to give them the information she has. [redacted]
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18. (Unclassified - GLC) LIAISON Called Doug Bennett, Staff Director, Senate Budget Committee, and informed him that we are sending a letter from Mr. Bush to Chairman Edmund Muskie asking for his advice and guidance regarding compartmented clearances for the staff of the Committee.

We also discussed recent developments regarding the Budget Committee. (See Memo for the Record.)

19. (Unclassified - THW) LIAISON Took a call from Bill Florence, on the staff of Representative Bella Abzug's (D., N. Y.) Subcommittee on Government Information and Individual Rights, House Government Operations Committee, regarding our recent letter to the Congresswoman explaining our classification procedures. He said that he was writing us requesting further information on questions 2, 3, 4, 6(b), and 14. He had queries on two other questions, 8 and 15(b), but these were resolved during the conversation.

20. (Unclassified - DFM) LEGISLATION Called Clark McFadden, Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee, and arranged to meet him March 11 regarding S. 1395, the military malpractice legislation, and on the question of an annual authorization of CIA funds.

21. (Unclassified - DFM) LEGISLATION Called George Gilbert, OMB, who agreed to send me a copy of OMB's memorandum to Jack Marsh, Counsellor to the President, on S. Res. 400.

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26. (Unclassified - WPB) LEGISLATION Called Bob Carlstrom, OMB, concerning H.R. 12048, the bill relating to rule-making procedures under the Administrative Procedure Act, which had been introduced on February 24. The bill may be taken up by the full House Judiciary Committee within a few weeks. Carlstrom informed me that the Departments of State and Defense were preparing reports in opposition to the bill. I asked him whether he thought it might be helpful if the Agency forwarded unsolicited comments on the bill to the Committee, and he thought it would be.

27. (Unclassified - WPB) LEGISLATION Called John Childers, Minority Counsel, Senate Government Operations Committee, concerning S. 495, the Watergate Reorganization Act, reminding him of the Agency's concern over the financial disclosure sections of that bill. Childers said he was aware of the Agency's interest and that he and some of the majority staff had been working on some language which would permit an exemption for certain agencies and/or Executive branch personnel. He read me some language over the phone and asked me if I could get back to him with my suggestions.

28. (Unclassified - PLC) FOIA Called John Trello, Administrative Assistant to Representative Butler Derrick (D.), S. Car., and explained the Agency's handling of their letter on behalf of [redacted] 25X1
I apologized for the delay in handling and assured him that the request would be expedited. He was most appreciative of the call.



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Mr. Warner
Mr. Thuermer
Mr. Parmenter
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8. (Unclassified - RLB) LEGISLATION Called Hilda Schreiber, OMB, in response to that office's request for our comments on H. R. 12080, a bill amending Civil Service procedures. After giving her a summary of our comments, she suggested that I call the Civil Service Commission directly to work out a strategy.

9. (Unclassified - RLB) LEGISLATION Following my conversation with Hilda Schreiber, OMB, I called Reginald Jones, at the Civil Service Commission, to discuss Representative David Henderson's (D., N. C.) bill, H.R. 12080. We agreed that the Agency should prepare its own detailed response to the bill and deal directly with the Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service, House Post Office and Civil Service Committee, while the Civil Service Commission participates in the hearings which are scheduled to begin March 17.

10. (Unclassified - DFM) LEGISLATION Called George Gilbert and Jim Oliver, both at OMB, to inquire about the Administration's planned course of action regarding S. Res. 400, which would establish a new Senate Committee on Intelligence Activities. Gilbert informed me that he had prepared a memorandum for Jack Marsh, Counsellor to the President, based on the inputs of CIA, Justice Department, and State Department. He had also asked for comments from DOD, but had not received them. Gilbert said that the three comments he had received were consistent, and indicated that the decision of how to deal with this resolution was up to the White House.

11. (Unclassified - DFM) INTELLIGENCE BRIEFING Called Gilbert Keyes, Staff Director of the Senate Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences, regarding his request of last week of Mr. Cary for a briefing on the large Soviet space booster rocket. In his absence I talked to Mrs. Robinson, his secretary, and we discussed possible dates for the briefing. [redacted] Deputy Director of OWI, has been notified.

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12. (Internal Use Only - WPB) LEGISLATION Called Tom Green, Minority Counsel to the House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, concerning H.R. 10318, the toxic substances control act. I discussed with him section 22 of the bill, the national defense waiver.

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5. (Unclassified - RJK) ADMINISTRATIVE - DELIVERIES
Delivered to Kaye Burchell, Administrative Assistant to Representative
Delbert Latta (R., Ohio), materials for the Congressman's son in
preparing a term paper on CIA.

6. (Unclassified - DFM) LEGISLATION Received a call from
Jim Oliver, OMB, who asked some questions about the authorization
provision in S. Res. 400, the Senate oversight bill. Oliver also offered
to tell George Gilbert, also of OMB, that our letter on the resolution
would not be there until tomorrow.

7. (Internal Use Only - WPB) LEGISLATION Called Tom Smeeton,
on the House International Relations Committee staff, and Craig Roberts,
in Representative Jack Kemp's (R., N. Y.) office, to alert them to the
Burton/Harrington amendment on covert action and assassinations which
was to be introduced today during consideration of the foreign military
assistance bill, H.R. 11963. I told them I would drop off some back-up
material.

8. (Internal Use Only - WPB) LEGISLATION Called Tom Smeeton
and Everett Bierman, House International Relations Committee staff,
off the floor during consideration of the foreign military assistance bill,
H.R. 11963, and discussed the Burton/Harrington amendment on covert
action and assassinations, providing them with back-up material.

9. (Unclassified - WPB) LEGISLATION Sat in on the floor debate
of the foreign military assistance bill, H.R. 11963. There were 13 amendments
considered in the course of the evening, but I had to leave before the
Burton/Harrington amendment on covert action and assassinations came up.

10. (Unclassified - RC) HEARINGS I talked with Guy McConnell,
of the Senate Appropriations Committee staff, to advise him that I had the
budget account in OLC and asked if he thought there were any problems and
issues which need looking into before our appearance on the 10th. I said I
would like to come down to chat with him, but he said he didn't foresee any
problems with the budget. He suggested I come down when a statement was
ready and use the statement as a basis for discussion to anticipate problems.

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19. (Unclassified - PLC) LEGISLATION Received a call from George Gilbert, OMB, requesting that the Agency submit its comments to the Senate Resolution 400, for establishing a new oversight committee, by close of business tomorrow.

20. (Unclassified - WPB) LEGISLATION Called George Gilbert, OMB, concerning H. R. 12006, the sources and methods legislation. He asked whether we could have comments on S. Res. 400, the Senate oversight bill, to OMB by COB tomorrow. I told him I would have [Redacted] call STAT him.

21. (Unclassified - WPB) LEGISLATION Talked to Mr. Kinghorn, OMB, on H. R. 10318, the Toxic Substances Control Act, pending before the House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee. Also discussed the timetable for this legislation with Lewis Berry, Minority Counsel to the House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce. I discussed S. 776, a companion bill, with Mel Sterrat, Minority Counsel, Senate Commerce Committee.

22. (Unclassified - WPB) LEGISLATION Talked to Fred Craft, Minority Counsel to the Senate Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, concerning the prospects and timetable for S. 1864, a bill establishing a national energy information system.

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25X1 23. [REDACTED] LEGISLATION Called George

Gilbert, OMB, in response to his earlier conversation with [REDACTED]
Gilbert reported that Jack Marsh's office in the White House had requested
OMB to poll all agencies on S. Res. 400, the Senate oversight bill, and
that OMB needed our comments by COB tomorrow.

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25X1 24. [REDACTED] LIAISON Molly, in the office of

Representative Mike McCormack (D., Wash.), called and said that
the Congressman would not be able to speak to the DDS&T Career
Management Group but recommended that in his place we may wish
to invite Thomas Ratchford, Science Consultant, House Committee on
Science and Technology.

25X1 25. [REDACTED] LIAISON Leslie Yates, Subcommittee

on International Resources, Food & Energy, House International Relations
Committee staff, called referring to testimony before the Subcommittee
on 25 February 1976 and said that Assistant Secretary William Schaufele
deferred to CIA and "stonewalled" Chairman Charles Diggs' (D., Mich.)
questions relating to covert action in Angola. Yates said as soon as she
gets the transcript back from the reporters, Mr. Diggs will send us the
pertinent portion and ask if we will respond. If we do not respond but
defer to the Subcommittee on Oversight, House International Relations
Committee, which receives the Director's covert action briefings, then
Mr. Diggs intends to fight it out within the Committee. What bothers
Mr. Diggs is that as Chairman of this Subcommittee he apparently
does not have access to information on covert action programs provided
to the Subcommittee on Oversight while all members of the Senate
Foreign Relations Committee have access to such information.

25X1 26. [REDACTED] BRIEFING Ed Schallert, in the

office of Representative Les Aspin (D., Wis.), called and requested a
briefing for the Congressman on the dollar comparison of Soviet defense
activities as soon as it could be arranged.

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23. (Unclassified - PLC) ADMINISTRATIVE - DELIVERY

Delivered to Everett Bierman, Minority Counsel, House International Relations Committee staff, a paper proposing language on U.S. Government relationships with foreign police for inclusion in the Conference Report on the Foreign Assistance Act.

24. (Internal Use Only - WPB) LEGISLATION Tom Smeeton,

House International Relations Committee staff, called and said that he had heard from someone "close to" the House Judiciary Committee that the Agency did not support H. R. 11365, Representative Robert Michel's (R., Ill.) bill prohibiting disclosure of the identities of intelligence personnel. I told him that as far as I knew, this was false--that the Agency was sympathetic to the legislation, although we viewed it as part of a broader problem of protecting intelligence sources and methods in general and not as an alternative to sources and methods legislation. Smeeton said he understood this, but wondered if the Agency could somehow express its support of H. R. 11365. I said that the Agency had not been asked for comments on the bill by the Judiciary Committee, and if we were, we would send in supportive comments; however, I was not sure whether we wanted to get out in front on this legislation, but that I would raise this question over here. Smeeton said that an impression within the Judiciary Committee that the Agency did not support H. R. 11365 was dampening chances for any serious consideration of the bill.

25. (Unclassified - GLC) LIAISON Attended a meeting with

George Carver, NIO, Jerry Christison, Senator Claiborne Pell's (D., R.I.) office, and Dave Keaney, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, on the subject of [redacted]

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26. (Unclassified - DFM) LEGISLATION Called George Gilbert,

OMB, to inform him that Mr. Cary's statement on malpractice legislation had been forwarded to him, to McLean Redwine, Department of Justice, and to Werner Windus, Department of Defense. Later in the day Gilbert called to inform me that Justice had phoned in their concurrence. Gilbert then gave OMB's approval conditional on the deletion of one sentence.

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